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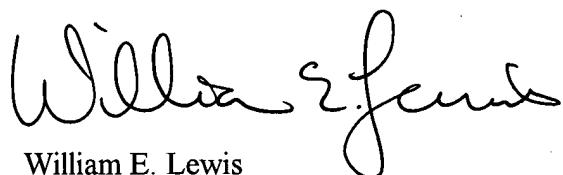
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Applicants submit herewith seventeen (17) sheets of formal drawings in the above-referenced patent application.

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